

CLAIMS

We claim:

1 *sub a1* 1. A device for connecting an electric motor, comprising:  
2 two electrical conductors leading to the electric motor; and  
3 a suppressor arranged between said two electrical conductors, wherein said  
4 suppressor includes a capacitor and a varistor connected in parallel.

1 2. The device of claim 1, wherein said varistor is a disk type varistor.

2 3. The device of claim 1, further comprising a casing made of fuel resistant  
plastic. *Q*

3 4. The device of claim 3, wherein said casing is integrally connected with said  
suppressor.

*sub a2* 5. The device of claim 3, further comprising inductors respectively connected to  
said two electrical conductors, wherein said casing is integrally connected with said suppressor  
and with said inductors.

1 6. A combination including an electric motor and a device for connecting the  
2 electric motor, said device comprising:

3 two electrical conductors leading to the electric motor;

4 a suppressor arranged between said two electrical conductors, wherein said  
5 suppressor includes a capacitor and a varistor connected in parallel;

6 a casing made of fuel resistant plastic; and

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7           inductors respectively connected to said two electrical conductors, wherein said  
8 casing is integrally connected with said suppressor, said inductors and regions of said electric  
9 motor which adjoin said inductors.

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